

The Florida Senate  
**COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**  
**APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND**  
**HUMAN SERVICES**  
**Senator Grimsley, Chair**  
**Senator Flores, Vice Chair**

**MEETING DATE:** Wednesday, April 17, 2013

**TIME:** 11:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

**PLACE:** Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

**MEMBERS:** Senator Grimsley, Chair; Senator Flores, Vice Chair; Senators Bean, Benacquisto, Galvano, Garcia, Gibson, Lee, Montford, Richter, Smith, Sobel, and Thrasher

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	<b>CS/SB 360</b> Health Policy / Garcia (Similar CS/H 281)	Surgical Assistants and Surgical Technologists; Providing requirements for health care facilities that employ or contract with surgical assistants and surgical technologists; providing exceptions to these requirements, etc.  HP 03/20/2013 Not Considered HP 04/02/2013 Fav/CS BI 04/09/2013 Favorable AHS 04/17/2013 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0
2	<b>CS/SB 896</b> Health Policy / Garcia (Similar CS/H 793)	Prepaid Dental Plans; Postponing the scheduled repeal of a provision requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to contract with dental plans for dental services on a prepaid or fixed-sum basis; authorizing the agency to provide a prepaid dental health program in Miami-Dade County on a permanent basis, etc.  HP 03/14/2013 Fav/CS AHS 04/17/2013 Fav/CS AP RC	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0
3	<b>CS/SB 844</b> Health Policy / Grimsley (Compare CS/CS/H 939)	Medicaid Fraud; Adding an additional provision relating to a change in principal that must be included in a Medicaid provider agreement with the Agency for Health Care Administration; revising provisions specifying grounds for terminating a provider from the program, for seeking certain remedies for violations, and for imposing certain sanctions; deleting the requirement that the agency place payments withheld from a provider in a suspended account and revising when a provider must reimburse overpayments, etc.  HP 03/07/2013 Fav/CS BI 04/09/2013 Favorable AHS 04/17/2013 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0

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4	<b>CS/SB 1748</b> Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Evers	Medicaid Eligibility; Requiring the Department of Children and Families to review financial transactions affecting eligibility; exempting the value of a Medicaid applicant's life insurance policy, annuity, or group certificate from the determination of the applicant's Medicaid eligibility under certain circumstances; authorizing a state agency to delay implementation of certain provisions if a federal waiver or authorization is required; specifying limitations, etc.  CF 04/15/2013 Fav/CS AHS 04/17/2013 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
5	<b>SB 1816</b> Appropriations	Health Care; Revising the components of the Florida Kidcare program; revising the eligibility of the Medikids program component; revising the minimum health benefits coverage under the Florida Kidcare Act; repealing provisions relating to the approval of health benefits coverage, financial assistance, and delivery of services in rural counties; creating the Healthy Florida program; authorizing the Florida Healthy Kids Corporation to contract with certain insurers; requiring the corporation to oversee the Healthy Florida program and to establish a grievance process and integrity process, etc.  AHS 04/17/2013 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 13 Nays 0
6	<b>SB 1844</b> Health Policy	Health Choice Plus Program; Authorizing the Florida Health Choices, Inc., to accept funds from various sources to deposit into health benefits accounts, subsidize the costs of coverage, and administer and support the program; requiring the corporation to manage the health benefits accounts and provide the marketplace of options that an enrollee in the program may use; providing for payment for achieving health living performance goals, etc.  AHS 04/17/2013 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 4

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